SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 247

By Johnson

A RESOLUTION to commend Ross Colona for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Ross Colona is one such individual who has distinguished himself in his role as a legislative intern for Senator Jack Johnson; Ross's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators he assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at University of Tennessee, Knoxville, where he is highly regarded by his peers, Mr. Colona has achieved academic success while majoring in public administration and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize himself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further his studies, Ross Colona brought his many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2017 session of the One Hundred Tenth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2017 legislative session, Mr. Colona has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Ross Colona has performed his many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend Ross Colona for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Jack Johnson and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.